

# DIDSBURY PIONEER

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## Canada's Best and Foremost Shoes

GEO. A. SLATER, Maker

\$4.50  
to  
\$6.50  
per Pair



All  
Guaranteed

If we can only sell you one pair of Invictus Shoes, we know you will always be an Invictus customer. These shoes stand for perfect fit, highest class workmanship, best material, newest styles and longer wear.

## J. V. BERSCHT

SOLE AGENT, DIDSBURY.

## BARGAINS

15 Men's Suits and 8 Boy's  
Suits going at Half-  
Price while they last

## For Cash Only

GEO. PETERS

## Bill Bailey

is back again with his usual

## BARGAINS

For each \$5.00 purchase  
for cash or produce

## ONE STONEWARE KETTLE

will be given or

## A Set of Glassware

100 Boxes of Prunes Just in, 10 lbs. in Net  
Weight, 90c. to \$1.15 per box.

WE ARE PAYING 18c. Per Doz. FOR EGGS.

## Salt \$2.75 Per Barrel

Vegetables, Lettuce, Green Onions, Raddishes, Cucumbers, New Potatoes, Turnips and Carrots

## SEED POTATOES

Remember we pay cash for butter and Eggs.

## BILL BAILEY

At the Old Post

Hope you won't forget me as I am hard up.

## AROUND THE TOWN

The cheapest place to buy your grass seed is at C. C. Pearson's.

Mrs. W. G. Hunter returned from her visit to the Old Country last week.

New Saddle for sale, or will exchange for a bicycle.—Apply Earle Peters.

Mike Barrett, a former proprietor of the Alexandra Hotel, now of Ferndale, Wash., is a visitor to town this week.

Miss Agnes Creelman was visiting with her sister Miss E. Creelman for a few days last week.

NOTICE—Anyone wanting a Combination Wire Fence Tool, can procure them at my residence, A. Bossenberry, Didsbury, Alta.

Coal at \$6.00 at Hembling's.

Remember the date of S. L. Taube's visit to Didsbury and if there is anything whatever wrong with your eyesight, make it a point to consult him at Chambers' Drug Store on Tuesday, May 11th.

Don't fail to be at the adjourned meeting of the U.F.A. in Hembling's hall on Monday, May 17th. Come prepared to place your order for dinner twice.

The price of flour has been raised from 15c to 20c a hundred at the mills. C. C. Pearson is selling at the old prices. Take advantage and get a supply.

TO THE FARMERS—W. H. Smith & Co., have secured the agency for the Plymouth Binder twine and will be pleased to quote you prices. The Plymouth is the best twine manufactured and prices are as low as the poorest grades.

The oyster season is over and the banquet promised the citizens of Didsbury in the Calgary Herald some time ago has failed to materialize. Never mind, strawberries are coming in and perhaps we will get strawberry short cake and ice cream instead.

The "ACOUSTICON" magnifies every sound and word 400%. That means no matter how deaf you are nor what the original cause of your deafness was, you will hear at once; so long as the auditory nerve is alive. Call and see this wonderful invention demonstrated by S. L. Taube at Chambers Drug Store on Tuesday, May 11th.

The first exhibition of Wireless Telegraphy in Didsbury was given on Saturday last in the Golden West Hotel by Mr. Ransome of Calgary, agent for the United Wireless Telegraph Co. Mr. Ransome had two miniature machines with him and they worked to perfection. The sending machine was put two or three rooms away from the receiver and the electric current was sent through the walls with the greatest ease, showing the telegraphic system, motor fan, the block system of colored lights for railroad trains, wireless fire alarm, and several other useful inventions.

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Miss A. C. Melrose paid a visit to Calgary on Saturday last.

Mrs. O. W. Hembling left last week on a visit of some weeks duration to friends in B.C.

Our readers will find two parts of the serial story in this week's paper.

Seramus Martin and Edwin W. Snyder of Waterloo, Ont., are registered at the Alexandra Hotel.

A Presbyterian tea meeting will be held at the Opera House on Friday, May 14th. Watch for bills.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Witwer and baby, of Lethbridge, Alta., and Mr. H. O. Witwer are visiting their brother Dave Witwer.

Martin Lowry arrived in town from Mexico and the Southern states on Monday, on a visit to his aunt Mrs. H. E. Osmond.

Springtime is here.—I. E. Hallman can supply you with all kinds of good strong vegetable and flower plants. Give him your orders early.

W. H. Hunter who has had charge of the Alberta Pacific Elevator here is moving to Olds. Mr. Colvin will have charge of the elevator here.

Constable Vernon was at the depot to see the constables off with the prisoner whom they caught out west, and mentioned the fact that if he, the constable, had not got caught in the wire fence, the prisoner would not have got away, whereupon the prisoner stated that he did not have time to stop and apologize for leading him into the wire fence.

## Caught Again

The prisoner who escaped from the constables on Saturday night last was caught on Wednesday morning in a barn belonging to Edgar Reitzel, West of town by two constables who were searching for him and taken to Edmonton on the morning train.

## Debenture By-laws Carry

The debenture by-laws which had to be submitted to the ratepayers for a second time on Wednesday were both carried by big majorities. The ratepayers by still supporting the Council have shown their appreciation of the Council's efforts to straighten out the town affairs and can now rest assured that the tax rate will not be any higher than last year, and perhaps a reduction can be made.

Following is the result of the poll:

By-law No.	For	Against
56	52	7
57	50	9

By-law No. 56 was a by-law for issuing debentures for the sum of \$1500 for fire protection, and by-law No. 57 for issuing debentures for the sum of \$2000 for sidewalks and street improvements.

## BIRTHS

On Sunday, April 18th, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trebes, a son.

## UNION BANK

OF CANADA  
HEAD OFFICE QUEBEC  
Comparative Figures for  
Fifteen Years.

### Capital Paid-up

May 31st 1895	\$1,200,000
" " 1900	2,000,000
" " 1905	2,500,000
Feb. 27th 1909	3,201,400

### Reserve and Undivided Profits

May 31st 1895	\$ 346,460
" " 1900	573,117
" " 1905	1,289,824
Feb. 27th 1909	2,045,959

### Deposits

May 31st 1895	\$1,020,128
" " 1900	6,573,637
" " 1905	16,533,876
Feb. 26th 1909	25,093,336
April 3rd 1909	26,845,000

### Total Assets

May 31st 1895	\$ 7,562,099
" " 1900	11,601,189
" " 1905	22,767,101
Nov. 30th 1908	34,062,408
Mar. 31st 1909	35,128,244

DIDSBURY BRANCH:

F. N. Ballard, Manager

## FARMERS

### Use Formaldehyde

In treating your grain this season, call and get a pamphlet dealing with Smut and the Prevention as used at the various Experimental Farms.

## 50c. A PINT

and we guarantee it 40 per cent. Formaldehyde gas

## H. W. CHAMBERS

DRUGGIST AND STATIONER



## PORK

## Fresh Meats

Chops, Veal Cutlets, Mutton, Pork, Steaks, Fresh Sausage

Orders delivered to any part of Town

We buy HOGS and POULTRY live or dressed at any time, delivered when ordered.

## Didsbury Meat Market

N. WEICKER, Prop.

All the Latest . . .

Designs in . . .

## NEW WALL PAPERS

—AT—  
DIDSBURY  
FURNITURE  
STORE

R. Barron, Prop.

## SURE CURE FOR SKIN INJURIES & DISEASES.

### SOME GEOGRAPHICAL FACTS

Closer to Equator Does Not Always Mean that the Climate is Less Rigid

New York is usually thought of as being directly west from London. It is, however, despite its far more rigorous climate, 900 miles nearer the equator than is the British capital. The black coast of Labrador is directly west of London. The same line passes the southern part of Hudson Bay and Lake Winnipeg; on the other side of the continent it touches the southern extremity of Alaska, and continues through the centre of the Isthmus of Kamchatka, and Siberia and Russia, to Hongkong.

It is astonishing, too, to reflect on the fact that Montreal, with its winter of great severity, is 500 miles nearer the equator than is London. Montreal, indeed, is on the same degree of latitude as Venice.

Another illustration of the unexpected in contrast is found in a comparison of St. John's, Newfoundland, with Paris. Paris has a winter of comparative mildness, while St. John's is a region of bitter cold and fog, with drifting icebergs about its coast. Yet St. John's is 100 miles nearer the equator.

#### His Day of Reckoning

As the stout man whose appetite had excited the envy of the other boarders turned to leave the parlor, he looked down at his waistcoat. "I declare I've lost two buttons off my vest," he said ruefully.

He was a new boarder, but his landlady saw no reason for further delay in showing her banner, "Watchfulness and Economy for All." She gave him the benefit of the bill gate so familiar to her other boarders.

"I think without doubt you will find them both in the dining-room," she announced cheerily.

#### Poor Maid!

She wedded a half-laughed fiddler, The poor, misguided maid!

And followed him to the wanderings, And sang to the airs he played.

They travelled the roads together, Through sunshine and through rain.

Till he talked of his "art," Then she reached for her heart.

And she freighted it home again.

#### Aimed to Please

Pompous Man—When you address me, I wish you would look me in the eye.

Timid Man—Certainly! Which eye?

That daylight business is going to make this country rich. How is that? Well, there's 200 working days in a year, ain't there? Yep.

And we gain one hour every day? Yep. And one hour is worth twenty cents anyhow? Yes. And isn't there 2,000,000 workers in Canada? Yep.

Then Canada just slips down in her stocking every year a brand new 120,000,000 bill. That's easy.

"And mamma," sobbed the unhappy wife, "the three his slippers across the room and 'told me to go to the devil-evil!'"

"You did right, child, to come straight to me."

A Belgian inventor has secured a patent on a flying machine modeled on the insects of the loach species. With a 100-horsepower motor the machine weighs a trifle less than 250 pounds.

So successful is a wave-power under the invention of a Pittsburgh man at Atlantic City, N. J., that it is to be tested by the light-house board with a view of furnishing power to generate electricity.

It's surprising how many otherwise sensible men believe in signs and omens.

**DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS**

ALL KIDNEY DISEASES  
CURES RHEUMATISM  
BRIGHT'S DISEASE  
GRAVEL  
DIABETES  
AND ALL THE URINARY AFFECTIONS

W. N. U. No. 740

#### His Best Authority

Being eager to know how his offspring, Haymow, Jr., was getting along in the big metropolis, Haymow, Sr., one day repaired thither from his rural habitation and sought information of his brother, long since established in the city.

"Wall," said Haymow, Sr.: "what do you hear about Ebenezer?"

"Oh, I understand," remarked the young hopeful's uncle, "that he is invaluable in his new job."

"I swan!"

"Moreover, I understand that the boss simply can't do without him."

"How you talk."

"An Ebenezer'll be a partner within a year or so, according to what I hear from the same source."

Haymow, Sr., stroked his beard, highly satisfied.

"By the way, who told you all this about Ebenezer?" he inquired.

"Ebenezer," he replied.

"Oh."

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Tommy—"Pop, what is a skeptic?"

Tommy's Pop—"A skeptic, my son, is a person who doubts anything you are sure of."—Philadelphia Record.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Vermifuge to drive out the parasites.

Leather may be waterproofed by painting it with a combination of two ounces each of Burgundy pitch, cast oil, and turpentine, and one ounce of raw linseed oil, applied warm.

"Sometimes," said a would-be humorist, "there are my blue canvas awfully bad. I suppose that's my model."

"No," was the reply, "that's your common sense!"

The artist was of the impressionist school. He had just given the last touches to a picture of a blue canvas when his wife came into the studio.

"My dear," said he, "this is the landscape I wanted you to suggest a title for."

"Why not call it 'Home'?" she said, after a long look.

"Why?" "Because there's no place like it," she replied meekly.

Minard's Liniment, Lumberman's Friend.

Nervous employer—"Thomas, I wish you wouldn't whistle at your work."

Office boy—"I ain't working, sir; I'm only just whistling."

"There goes a man who always whistles at danger."

"What does he do?"

"He's an engine-driver."

#### HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made up to him.

Witness our hands this 1st day of March, 1891.

Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

#### A Peacemaker

"You're a liar!" exclaimed the first man.

"You're another!" roared number two.

"Calm yourselves, gentlemen," interposed the peacemaker. "It is quite possible that you are both right."

Philadelphia Inquirer.

#### A Mistake Corrected

Teacher—What is the total population of the globe?

Small Boy (promptly)—One and one-half billions.

Peace, man, we have a new baby brother at our house.

#### The Important Point

Does a hen sit or set?—"Exchange," it is hardly worth worrying over.

The important thing is, when she cackles is she laying or lying?—Warren (Ohio) Tribune.

#### Force of Habit

Hogan—Phivat became a Pat?

Grogan—The poor felly mistook a hen horn for his factory horn, and stopped wrock crossing the strate.—Life's Pictorial Comedy.

### DELICATE LITTLE CHILDREN

#### MADE WELL AND STRONG

The little ones are frail. Their hold on life is slight. A slight disorder may become serious if not promptly attended to. At the very first symptom of trouble Baby's Own Tablets should be given.

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A purely herbal balm! best thing for the skin of children! yet powerful enough to heal an adult's chronic sores! highly antiseptic! eases pain and smarting soon as applied—that is Zam-Buk. Remember it is purely herbal—no mineral poisons, no animal fats. Power and purity combined!

All druggists and stores sell at 50c. a box.

#### Retreat? Never!

In an Irish garrison town a theatrical company was giving performances, and some soldiers from the local barracks were engaged to act as supernumeraries.

Their duties included the wearing of a fierce fight in which, after a stirring struggle, one army was defeated on a given signal from the prompter.

For a few nights all went well, but on the Friday evening a special performance of the piece was to be given under the patronage of the colonel and other officers of the garrison.

The two armies met as usual at the end of the second act, when they fought and fought and kept on fighting, regardless of the agonized glare in the eye of their (act) general, who hoarsely ordered the proper reply to "Retreat, confound you!"

But the fight still went on, and soon the horrified manager saw the wrong army being driven slowly off the stage, still fighting desperately.

Down came the curtain amid roars of laughter, and the fuming manager hastened to ask the delinquents why they had failed to retreat on hearing the signal.

"Retreat," replied a burly fiddler whose visage had been badly battered, and it is retreat you'd have us, wid the colonel, and all the officers in the boxes?"

#### Black Eye for Blackstone

"Your honor," said Monan Pruiett, the criminal lawyer, "since reports and modern law are not sufficient to convince you, let me read this section from Blackstone, the father of common law, and unobscured authority. He reports my contention precisely."

"You had as well sit down, Mr. Pruiett; I have decided the point against you," replied the court. "You need not read any more; I have overruled your demurrer, and do not care to hear you read the section."

"I know you have, your honor, I know you have," sarcastically said the redoubtable lawyer. "I know it, but I just wanted to show the court what a fool Blackstone was."

#### Then He Sat Down

"I was not always thus," said a seedy-looking auditor. "When I first opened my eyes in this world our family circumstances were far better than mine are."

"Time was when I sought no luxury but I obtained it; when my every fancy was gratified, when I was accustomed to pass this very spot in my own carriage, and my mother—bless her—"

"Used to push it," hawled an unsympathetic member of the audience who knew the speaker in other days.

"Yes, miss," said the old tar, "that ere telescope was given me by Lord Nelson."

"Good gracious! Why Nelson has been dead over one hundred years."

"Oh, I'm blind," said the salty one. "Ox the time do fly!"

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

#### The Gulpit Nailed

One winter's evening in the city of Detroit, when a winter storm was passing through the city, he stopped at one of the main in a busy street to turn off the water owing to some repairs.

He had just put the handle on the tap and began turning when a hand was placed on his shoulder.

Looking round, he was confronted by a tiny gentleman, who said, in a drunken tone, "I have found you at last, have you?"

"It's you that's turning the water off, is it?"—Glasgow Herald.

#### Two-Thirds Right

"I'm a terror, I lie," announced the new arrival in Frozen Land to one of the men behind the bar.

"You're right," said the other.

"Takes three men to handle me, once I get started," he went on.

"Oh, well," he remarked, as he arose painfully and dusted off his clothes, "of course, if you're short-handed, I suppose two kin do it on a pinch."

#### Culture Below Stars

The girl had been three weeks in the employ of an artistic family, but her time had been by no means wasted.

Her mistress was giving her instructions as to the dinner.

"Don't forget the potatoes," enjoined the lady.

"No, ma'am," was the reply; "will you have 'em in their jackets or in the hood?"

#### Coal Dealing

Smith—I hear Sholt, the coal man has come into a large fortune.

Jones—Well, he's entitled to it.

Smith—Oh, yes, he's entitled to it.

Jones—Yes; he's been lying in weight for it for a good many years.

No Bars Against This Immigration  
The Canadian Northwest continues to enjoy a rather different kind of immigration from that which comes to our shores from Southern Europe. The immigration office at Winnipeg the other day passed a farmer from Iowa who had \$25,000 in United States notes tucked away in his pockets. On one day within a week or two 30 home-owners or farm buyers from the United States passed through that office, and the smallest sum of money any of them had was \$5,000. No question of putting up the bars against immigration from the western United States is now before the Canadian parliament.—Springfield Republican.

#### Lesson Thes, Too

We've the telegraph wireless, The church that is spiritless, The gas that is fireless, Yet these we desire less, Than roads which are fireless, Than hoboes who're tireless, Campaigns that are fireless, And statesmen who're hireless.

## SUNLIGHT SOAP



ALL OVER THE WORLD thousands of housewives use Sunlight Soap in preference to any other, because it cleanses the clothes more thoroughly, and at half the cost without injury to hands or fabric.

## Good Health

—is within reach of nearly every man and woman who earnestly desires it. Start right with

## Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In Boxes 25 cents.

## Special Notice To The Province

Agents wanted for B. Shragge, 209 Princess St., Winnipeg, to collect all kinds of scrap iron, brass, copper, tin, and other metals, and shoes, bottles, rags and bones.

## Real English SUITS and OVERCOATS

to Measure from \$5.14 to \$20.

Cut in Latest London and New York Style, whatever preferred. No matter what sort of the dominion you live in, we undertake to supply you with smart, comfortable, and well made suits, or overcoats, at a refund your money in full. The process is simple, merely send your address to us, or to a below, asking for a list of latest assortments of materials. Together with patterns, we send you London plates and complete instructions for accurate self-measurement. Tape measure, all sent free and carriage paid. We dispatch your order within seven days, and if you do not approve, return the goods, and we will refund the money.

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H. E. OSMOND, EDITOR.

**Announcement to Our  
Readers**

With this issue we start a new  
department, one we think that  
will meet with the approval of a  
large number of our readers, condensed  
telegraphic despatches, not only concerning Alberta but  
the world at large, will be in-  
serted in our future issues.

The Sunday School lesson is  
also a permanent institution in  
our columns and will be found on  
the inside pages.

Another new serial story com-  
mences in this issue called the  
"Man of the Hour," by Albert  
Payson Terhune. This story is  
full of interest from start to finish  
and is considered a masterpiece.

We expect to make other  
changes from time to time and  
we would ask all our present sub-  
scribers to help the good work  
along by getting their friends  
and neighbors to subscribe for  
the Pioneer, which not only con-  
tains all the local and district  
news, but the latest local market  
reports and a great deal of gen-  
eral reading matter. The price  
is only \$1.00 per year—less than  
a cent and a half per copy.  
**SUBSCRIBE NOW AND  
START THE NEW STORY.**

**H. S. Patterson Appoint-  
ed Town Solicitor and  
Councillor Osmond  
on the Library  
Board**

The regular meeting of the Council  
was held in the Council Chamber at  
the Schoolhouse on Monday night.  
Mayor Coriatt, Councillors Hembling,  
Liesemer and Good and Secretary  
Keech being present.

A bill for \$8.40 for hardware was  
ordered paid.

A by-law for the appointment of  
Town Solicitor was read three times  
and passed. H. S. Patterson received  
the appointment.

Councillor Liesemer attended his  
resignation from the Library Board as  
he had not the time to attend to it.

On motion by Councillors Liesemer  
and Good, Councillor Osmond was  
appointed to the Library Board.  
The meeting then adjourned.

**In the Matter of the  
"Golden West Hotel,"  
Didsbury, Alberta**

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT  
George W. Hallett, Manager of the  
Golden West Hotel, Didsbury, has no  
authority to purchase goods on credit  
or otherwise contract debts in the  
name of the undersigned proprietors of  
said hotel chattels, for any purpose  
whatsoever.

And notice is hereby given that the  
undersigned will accept no liability  
whatever for any purchase made or  
debts contracted by the said George  
W. Hallett in his capacity as manager  
of the said hotel.

Dated at Didsbury in the Province  
of Alberta, this 24th day of April, 1909.

MCCALLUM & HARRISON

**School Report for April**

Days School .....	20
Enrollment .....	110
Aggregate attendance .....	1907.5
Average .....	95.37
Percentage of " .....	80.14

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# The Man OF The Hour

By ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE

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with all the advantages of youth, education and good looks and no vocation other than the enjoyment of wealth, the hero of our present story chose rather to sacrifice his ease and comfort on the altar of his duty as a citizen. His city called him to save her from spoliation and corruption, and he responded to the call. To lure him from the path of right came the seductions of love and the claims of a revered parent's memory, allied with the mighty forces of the command of political and financial malefactors. The firmness with which "the man of the hour," singled out for the highest post in a great municipality by those who saw in him only a weakling and a tool, resisted the very forces that had elevated him for their own purposes to official power will be an inspiration to the reader, and it has been an uplifting force in the minds of thousands who have witnessed its theatrical representation.

## CHAPTER I.

THE country house of Charles Walnwright, banker, topped the ridge overlooking the water in a climax of architectural richness and extravagant cost. The grounds of Charles Walnwright, banker, stretched out into countless acres of landscape gardening. The whole estate of Charles Walnwright, banker, eclipsed those of his neighbors in the fashionable suburbs, even as the name of Charles Walnwright, banker, eclipsed almost every other in the world where money, riled as undisciplined and absolute monarch.

Even when he turned from the bustle of city and fellow money builders and sought for a space the simple life on his \$2,500,000 country place, with its modest equipment of forty-one servants, Mr. Walnwright so far carried into the wilds the atmosphere of business and the burden of other men's wealth as to have a very complete little stockbroker room fitted up adjoining his big library and to keep a man night and day at his private disposal. Charles Walnwright, banker, was a bachelor. No obese or statuesque wife carried about with her a portable advertisement of his wealth and position, or of fabulously valuable jewels or made his name renowned in opera box, Newport casino or Leuxor terrace. His only heir had died young, and then, too pretty much as they chose and—as they were more or less ornamental and entertaining and decidedly popular—was rather fond of them.

The trio had passed a pleasant, uneventful month at the big house on the hill early in the summer of 1906, when a day dawned when the fair looked a number of decidedly interesting fateful happenings to occur.

Walnwright himself was up betimes and at work in his library, poring over market reports, cipher telegrams and a dozen other details of deals which his simple life cult did not prevent him from operating at long range. With him was his secretary, Thompson, pallid, earnest looking young fellow, whose unobtrusive efficiency had long since won the high-society admiration. This morning affairs in the financial world had gone more than ordinarily to Mr. Walnwright's liking. Moreover, a paragraph in one of the city papers that had caught his eyes had set his lean gray face to twitching with as near an approach to a smile as the great man ever permitted. He was in an unaccountably genial mood, and some of his good nature so far expended as to include his busy secretary.

"Thompson," he remarked as the last batch of correspondence was cleared away, "you're looking pale. Do I work you too hard?"

"No, indeed, sir," replied the secretary, with a promptitude that had something almost slavish in it.

"Feeling all right?" went on Walnwright.

"Right. 'You need more exercise, why don't you get out of doors often?'"

"The work, sir?"

"Tiet another man to help you do the telegraph part of it, then?"

"Thank you, sir. You are very kind indeed; but it's just the same to me, I'd rather handle it all myself. I hope the work's perfectly satisfactory, sir."

"Perfectly, Thompson. You're the only employee I have who seems to love work for his work's sake. See anything of Mr. Gibbs this morning?"

"No, sir. I don't believe he's up yet. Coming by such a late train last night. You know, sir, and—"

"I was up as late as he was, and I was at work by 8. But when a man takes his first holiday in six years, as he is doing, I suppose over-sleeping is part of the fun. There's a man to put money into and then to get more of it."

"I remember when he started out he hadn't a penny—nothing but the resolve to get money and then to get more of it. And now look at him! At thirty-five he's the head of one of the busiest brokerage houses in—"

"Doesn't that strike in a voice from the foot of the broad stairway across the hall. 'Sorry to be so late. Do you know how the market is?'"

"It's opened ever stronger than I hoped," said Walnwright. "Take a look at these dispatches and see for yourself. Had your breakfast?"

"Yes, thank you," answered the newcomer, a well-groomed, stockily built man, lounging into the rooms, with a nod at Thompson, who discreetly withdrew into the adjoining office. "Seems queer to have a whole day away from the office. I hardly know what to do with so much spare time."

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Ottawa—W. D. Scott, commissioner of immigration, was before the Commons agriculture committee recently. He estimated that close on to 300,000 immigrants will come to Canada this year.

Last year, he said, the arrivals totalled 146,908, which was a decrease of 44 per cent over the previous year. Last season 4,500 had been turned back at the boundary because of physical unfitness or lack of money.

"It is the government's aim that 50 per cent of the bonused immigrants did not stay on the land but came back to the cities," asked Alphonse Verreille, of Montreal.

"I am not aware of it. I don't think it is correct," answered the commissioner. He said that 25 agents in the States. He knew nothing of these agents "standing in" with land operators who said that they had people to certain locations. A allusion to the medical inspection, Mr. Scott said that except in the case of assisted immigrants, the United States owing examination at the gang plank when embarkation took place.

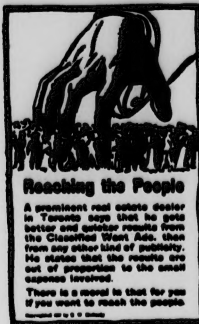
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### The Dairy Situation

The dairy situation in Canada is a matter that is fast becoming more important every year. The country used to boast of larger exports of butter and cheese than she can to-day. One Eastern authority goes so far as to state that no butter will be exported to Great Britain this year. This is not altogether because we do not produce enough, but because domestic consumption is rapidly growing. It is true that owing to several reasons production has recently dropped off in Canada. One of the chief reasons has been the expense of feeding cattle under the conditions of the past couple of seasons. As every dealer in the West knows, butter and cheese have been commanding handsome figures here, and unless something unforeseen happens fancier prices will yet be paid, according to the time of year. This is a fearful reason why farmers should go in more for mixed farming, which The Commercial has advocated steadily for several years.

Eastern Canada of course has been the big producer of dairy stuff, but from all accounts the industry is declining there instead of going forward. This seems strange when butter and cheese are selling at such good prices both at home and abroad. The Ontario people claim that they have to house cows for too long a period each year to make dairying profitable. What about the West? It is a case of "must" with the farmers of these provinces to give more attention to dairying. If the Ontario and Quebec supply fails, what are we to do? British Columbia, which in the nature of things should be getting her butter from the prairie country, has to go, not merely to Ontario but to the United States and Australia for much of her requirements. What are we going to do shortly if we do not raise more dairy cows? This is a subject that requires consideration, and that right promptly.—Commercial.

### Financing the Farm

No feature of the economic system current in the prairie provinces contributes so much towards reducing the prices received for farm products as the practice that obtains in all business circles of having our liabilities all fall due in November. The interests that control the avenues through which our products obtain access to the consuming markets easily take advantage of the fact that farmers in order to meet their obligations falling due immediately after harvest, have to rush their crops to market, and in this way reduce the prices paid and secure the largest portion of it in the first three months of the crop year at a much less value than would be paid if marketed as the demand would absorb it.

The practice applies to all products as well as to grain and reduces enormously the amount of money available each year for liquidating the liabilities not only of the farmers but all businesses in the country.

This feature of farm economics should engage the serious consideration of not only our farmers but of our business men as well, when arranging for another season's operations, and an effort should be made to extend payment over several months. "When we thresh" is not the best time to "promise to pay" but "When we can sell to the best advantage under right conditions and at right prices."

Expenses incident to raising a crop, such as hired labor, threshing, repairs and open accounts such as grocery, butcher, etc., ought to be promptly paid out of the first sales of the crop. While payments on secured liabilities such as mortgages, insurance interests, etc., might just as well be made in March as in November. As things now are this class of liability frequently becomes the first charge on the crop, and payments made out of the proceeds of the first sales to the neglect of the first mentioned liabilities, while the reverse of that condition would be the most rational and more conducive to the welfare of all. Economic marketing of grain requires a leisurely and gradual supply as market demands warrant. Millers must have a constant supply for 12 months each year. To meet that demand someone must carry wheat, and at no place can it be carried as cheaply as on the farm. Having to meet pressing liabilities in November often compels farmers to be hauling grain in September and October when they should be preparing land for next year's crop, and at a time when labor is hard to get and wages excessive. Every farmer knows the value of plowing land from which a crop has been taken, in September, as compared to plowing just before freezing.

The experience of the last few years clearly points to the urgency of extending the time of payment, and we would strongly urge upon our grain growers when undertaking obligations to be paid out of the proceeds of the crop, that no payments be made to fall due within the first three months of the crop year that can reasonably be made payable at other seasons of the year.—Grain Growers' Guide.

### Made a Break for Liberty

It was reported that a prisoner who had jumped from a train near Edmonton some time ago, and for whom search has been made ever since, was out west of town. A R.N.W.M.P. from Olds and the town constable went to the ranch indicated and sure enough found their man. They succeeded in getting the handcuffs on him and were making preparation to bring him to town, when he suddenly made a break for the bush and liberty. The constables gave chase but the prisoner eluded them after being shot at twice.

The same man got away from seven or eight constables near Leduc some time ago, he is also credited with one or two other escapes since he jumped through a car window that he jumped thirty miles an hour. He had been arrested on a charge of forgery.

When last seen by the local police men he still had the handcuffs on.

### Patten's Wheat Corner

James Patten of Chicago, has multiplied his millions in the last few weeks. We are told that he made so many millions in a month. Where did he get these vast amounts of money? From everyone in North America. The increase of one cent per loaf in the price of bread here is but a thing that is general all over the continent. Is James Patten the man responsible for that? He is the one to whom it can be directly traced, but indirectly the laws that allow such a thing are responsible.

It should not be possible for one man or group of men to control the food of the nation to such an extent that exorbitant prices are forced upon the people, both rich and poor. If the natural course of supply and demand causes higher prices of foodstuffs we have to bear it as best we can, but it seems too incredible in modern civilization that one "Shark" should have the power of starving the nation, or else bring them to his terms while he hoards millions.

In some way or other the Canadian grain dealers appear to be at the mercy of the United States speculators, and our people suffer from the United States "corners" along with the people of the Republic.—Commercial

### The May Rod and Gun

Variety is the dominating feature of the May number of Rod and Gun in Canada, published by W. J. Taylor, Woodstock, Ont. In accord with the season there are some good fishing stories, while hunting receives such a full share of attention that moose, deer, bear, wolves and wild geese all have particular stories given up to them. Two fine exploration papers—an illustrated review of Mr. Tyrrell's book, "Through the sub-Arctic of Canada," and one by Mr. Dickson describing a personal trip through Northern Ontario—gives us some little idea of how much remains to be done in exploration work in Canada. Mr. Clapham has another fine dog article, "The Beagle for Sport," which all dog lovers will peruse with interest. The decision of the Ontario Government to have licensed guides is noted and the Order-in-Council dealing with the matter printed in full. Mr. Cy. Warman's paper on Wild Life appeals to every lover of the outdoors, and cannot fail to have some effect in the direction the author wishes. This number completes the tenth volume and attention is drawn to the work of the magazine in Forest Fish and Game Protection and the manner in which the movement in its favor has spread throughout Canada. The position achieved by the magazine is dwelt upon with pride, and credit given to all those who have assisted Canada's sporting magazine to reach its present high position. If future numbers are as good as this birthday issue—and we are assured that not only will the high standing be kept up but efforts will be made to improve upon it—there can be no doubt at all as to the future of the Rod and Gun. The magazine has now secured for itself a position not easily to be shaken.

### Berlin School Report for April

No. of days school was open.....	19
No. of pupils enrolled.....	26
Aggregate days attendance.....	296
Average attendance.....	15.57
Percentage of Attendance.....	59.88
St. VI.—Willie Burns.	
St. IV.—Spencer Burns, Edwin Oldham.	
St. III. Sr.—Lloyd Hehn.	
St. III. Jr.—Lloyd Newson, Irene Wilts, Charlie Burns, Mary Friesen, Jacob Friesen, Henry Hamm, Maggie Sawatzky, Jacob Dyck.	
St. II.—Isaac Hamm, Tena Dyck, Johnny Friesen, Sara Sawatzky.	
Pt. II.—Emma Hehn, Bernard Hamm.	
Pt. I. Sr.—Vera Hehn, George Shiels, Susan Dyck.	
Pt. I. Jr. (a)—Lena Suderman, Tena Suderman.	
Pt. I. Jr. (b)—Anna Loewen, Abram Hamm, Leonard Wilts.	
W. SWAIM, Teacher.	

# HORSE COLLARS

Our stock of Horse Collars is better assorted than ever. We can fit your horses perfectly, for we have 18 different grades and styles of Horse Collars, sizes from 16 in. to 28 in. Be sure and don't wear a collar on your horse that don't fit the shoulder. We know just what is wanted and are in position to give you satisfaction if you allow us.

### OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT

We have this year added to our stock

### HANFORD'S BALSAM OF MYRRH

This balsam is, without any doubt the best healer on the market, being a liquid, it also makes a splendid gall cure for horses shoulders and is better than salve. The salve gathers a lot of dirt on the face of the horse collar and is inclined to hurt the shoulder unless watched very closely.

### TRY A BOTTLE OF THIS BALSAM

If these goods are not what we represent them to be, we will gladly refund your money upon receipt of your empty bottle. Bottles in three sizes, 25c., 50c. and \$1.00.

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CORRUGATED METAL CULVERTS that will not

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Save taxes need no repairs and give satisfaction.

We also make SUPPLY TANKS, STOCK TANKS WELL CURBING

and almost anything else that is to be made out of sheet metal.

We shall be pleased to have you call on us when in town, prices and circulars furnished on application.

THE ALBERTA CULVERT CO., Didsbury, Alta.

### Ghost Pine

Campbell and Cook, agents for W. G. Liesener, Didsbury, are showing a John Deere Ranger pine that is a beauty. This pine gives better satisfaction than any pine made. Intending purchasers should call at Campbell & Cook's place and see the pine in operation.

1300 acres in Township 31 was seeded last week. Going some, eh?

Jonathan Dwin is building a fine house on his homestead.

Messrs Campbell and Cook left for Calgary last week.

Geo. Do-son has secured the Clydesdale stallion "Royal Oak" imp. He will keep the horse at Craigie Mains farm for the season. Wm. McKirdy, of Carberry, Man., also has three good imported horses at Craigie Mains farm, Ghost Pine, and intending purchasers of good horses should see Geo. Do-son or Mr. McKirdy at once if they wish to secure one of these horses.

### DRY POPLAR FOR SALE

Cut Stove Length

**\$3.00 Per Load**

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Carbon, Chost Pine and

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DELIVERED TO ANY PART

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### New School Trustee

The nominations for School Trustee was held at the School-house on Friday morning last, but there were very few ratepayers present.

There was only one nomination made and that was for Mr. J. V. Berscht who of course was elected by acclamation as there was no one to oppose him.

### Plays Ball at Freeport Illinois

The following item taken from the Freeport, Ill. Standard will be of interest to a number of our young readers, especially those who have taken an interest in hockey in the past season:—

### TOMMY STARK ARRIVES

Old Tommy Stark, Freeport's reliable catcher is here and the best part of it is, that he will be here all season, for no one has to this man in a league of this class, Tommy is a whirl wind from the start and will be as popular as ever with the local fans. He stroled in this morning and says he is in the best of condition.

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### WEDDINGS

Get the Ring at

**NIXON'S  
THE JEWELLER  
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## Fancy Goods

### Without the Fancy Prices

See our Children's Two-Wheeled Carts at 25c. each.  
Children's Toy Reins at 2c. Girl's Skipping  
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COLORED RUBBER BALLS FROM 10c. TO 20c. EACH.  
SOFT RUBBER BALLS HARD RUBBER BALLS

### Baseball Goods

Balls at 20 cents and up.  
Bats at 15 cents and up.  
Gloves at all Prices.

500 lbs. McCormick's Best Chocolates Just Received  
From The London, Ont., Factory.  
FRESH DELICIOUS CAN'T BE BEAT

### Saturday Only

B.C. RHUBARB 4 LBS. FOR 25 CENTS

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## PIONEER ADS. PAY

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### West News

Mrs. Jas. Hughes has returned home  
from her winter visit to Ontario.

Many people were disappointed not  
to having service at Rugby, Sunday  
evening.

Mr. Frank Loch, who has been with  
Mr. Chas. Brown the past year, returns  
East this week.

Messrs. J. Graves, W. Banting, W.  
Vipond and N. Berchenough go to  
Lethbridge this week, for the summer.

Mr. D. McIntyre is sporting a new  
buggy.

Zella school opened this week.

Mr. J. Cooper was ill at Mr. W. B.  
Smith's last week, where some of his  
Didsbury friends visited him.

Mr. E. Meyers is moving this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson are visiting  
Mr. and Mrs. McInnes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cowitz and family  
have returned having spent the winter  
in Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoesgood gave a  
little dance to several of their friends  
a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Moon entertained  
several of their bachelor friends, on  
Sunday.

Mr. Frank Heselton is staying at  
Mr. James. Glad to see him around  
again.

Miss Ingoldby of Toronto is visiting  
her cousin, Miss McGuirk.

Many of our people helped to make  
the social at Westcott, a success last  
Friday evening.

An escaped prisoner, from Leduc,  
who had been with Mr. Edgar Reitzel  
for over a week caused much excite-  
ment in our neighborhood. Mr. Ver-  
non, Didsbury Constable, and a R.N.  
W.M.P. of Olds, drove out Saturday  
night to recapture him, while being  
handcuffed the prisoner coolly told the  
captors, they would never take him to  
Didsbury.—His words came true for  
he escaped under the nose of the con-  
stables—and is still at large—although  
a thorough search is being made for  
the runaway man.

Sign of "It's ME."

The entertainment given at Westcott  
April 10th was well attended consider-  
ing the stormy night. The programme  
consisted of good music, recitations,  
and dialogues, after which a very  
beautiful cake was put up and carried  
by the young lady receiving the most  
votes. Proceeds amounted to \$43.  
Those being so kind to go night after  
night to practice after hard days of  
labor in the field think hard times had  
struck Westcott when they were held  
at the door for 25c admission. They  
think after they will pay their 25c  
and listen to others. If Westcott in-  
tend to treat her characters who have  
helped from time to time in this way  
they will be short of her talents.

Signed, "PARTIES WHO KNOW."

### Neapolis

Mr. J. Burns is delivering his fat  
cattle this week which will net him a  
handsome profit. Mr. Burns knows  
how to feed cattle.

One of the most pleasant evenings  
socially, was the "Wildard" tea given  
by the ladies of the W.C.T.U. at the  
home of Mrs. R. C. Oldham. One of  
the best programmes of the season was  
rendered and the supper was a success.  
Tables looked very pretty decorated  
in the white ribbon. It has been sug-  
gested that the ladies have more  
socials.

The Rev. Mr. Marshall preached his  
first sermon on Sunday to a good sized  
audience at the hall, he seems to be  
the right man for the right place and  
we welcome him among us.

### NOTICE

Look out for the new well drilling  
machine coming to Didsbury soon.  
Do you want a well drilled? If you  
have no well, you should have one, if  
you are only thinking about having  
one, drop me a line or come to see  
me, and I will figure with you. I'm  
sure I can give you good satisfaction,  
and if anything goes wrong with the  
well at any time, I will repair, give me  
a call.

Yours truly

W. C. HANSON, Didsbury

### The Churches

#### Presbyterian

Evening, 7.30 p.m.

Sunday School, 2.30 p.m.

#### Methodist

Service for next Sunday at 11 a.m.

Sunday School at 10 a.m.

All are made cordially welcome.

Rev. T. D. Jones Pastor

#### Evangelical

3 p.m.—Praching service

7.30 p.m.—Praching service

2 p.m., Sunday School.

C. S. FINKBEINER Pastor.

#### St. Cyril's Parish Church

Divine service at 4 o'clock in the

afternoon on Sunday.

On Monday and Tuesday, May 10th

and 11th the Chapter of the Rural

Deanery of Red Deer will meet at

Didsbury. Divine service will be held

in the Parish church at 8 p.m. on Mon-

day, Mr. Whitehead of Innisfail will

preach, at which all are cordially wel-

come.

H.M. SHORE, B.A., Curate in Charge.

#### St. Paul's German Lutheran Church

(5 miles west and 2½ miles south of

Didsbury).

Services every Sunday at 10.30 a.m.

SerVICES in Sundridge, Trechu

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ment.

F. W. FALKENROTH, Pastor

### DIDSBURY MARKETS

Steers, grain fed, live ..... \$ .4

Beef, grain fed, dressed ..... 6.00

Beef, range, dressed ..... .5

Veal, dressed ..... 6.00

Hogs, live ..... 6.00

Hogs, dressed ..... 7.50

Lambs, No. 1, smoked ..... 0.20

Hams, No. 1 ..... 0.20

Mutton, dressed ..... 0.12

Chickens, spring ..... 0.10

Chickens, live ..... 0.07

Hides, green ..... 0.07

Hides, dry flint ..... 0.05

Butter, Choice ..... 0.20

Eggs ..... 0.18

Potatoes, bushel ..... 1.10

Hay, upland ..... 5.00

Hay, timothy ..... 8.00

Wheat No. 1 Red ..... 1.00

Wheat No. 1 White ..... 0.85

Wheat No. 1 Northern ..... 1.01

Wheat No. 1 Feed ..... 0.57

Flax ..... 1.60

Eye ..... 0.50

Berley ..... 0.40

Oats ..... 0.33

THE LIQUOR

LICENSE ORDIN-

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APPLICATION FOR RE-

NEWAL OF HOTEL

LICENSE

Application has been made by Messrs

D. Birch and James W. Baird, for a renewal

of their license in respect to the Caribou Hotel

Caribou, Alberta.

This Application will be considered by the

Board of License Commissioners at a meeting

to be held at Loomis on Tuesday, May 25th,

1909, at 3 o'clock p.m.

Dated at Edmonton this 27th day of April

1909.

S. B. WOODS,

Deputy Attorney General.



**King Hiram Lodge No. 21, A.F.A.M.**  
meets every Tuesday evening on or before  
full moon. All visiting brethren welcome.  
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Secretary, W. M.



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Oddsfellows always welcome.  
J. ANDERSON, G. M. JADDER,  
N.G., Secretary.

### C. O. F.

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Order of Foresters meet at the Lodge rooms,  
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